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KUANG-CHOU NEWS AGENCIES CLOSED

WILL FOSTER DOMESTIC PAPER PRODUCTION -- Ta Kung Pao, 3 Jan 50

Pei-p'ing, 31 December (NCNA) -- The Committee for the Control of Paper for Cultural Uses of the Central People's Government Administration Council was established in Pei-p'ing on 29 December 1949. As decided on 19 December, by the Administration Council, its functions are to foster the domestic production and regulate the import and distribution of paper to be used for cultural purposes.

The Committee is composed of representatives of the following government units: Ministries of Finance, Trade, Light Industries, and Education; the Customs, News and Publications Offices; and the Planning Bureau of the Central Finance and Economics Commission. The Chairman is to be Deputy Premier Huang Yen-p'ei of the Administration Council. The Deputy chief of the News Administration, Fan Ch'ang-chiang and the Chief of the Business Office of the Ministry of Finance, are to be deputy chairmen.

CHEAP FOREIGN NEWSPRINT WANTED -- Wen-hui Pao, 3 Jan 50

Pei-p'ing, 31 December (NCNA) -- Resolutions calling upon the government to arrange for the import of more foreign newsprint and its sale at lower cost according to a fairer system of rationing were adopted in a conference of managers of government-operated and private-operated newspapers held 17 - 26 December in Pei-p'ing. Twenty-seven newspapers in the area north of the Ch'ang Chiang, but including Shang-hai, were represented.

To increase the circulation in rural districts, resolutions also called for eliminating waste and lowering production costs, reducing rates to rural readers, improving distribution methods, and making greater use of postal facilities for distribution.

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Representatives of the Central People's Government's News Office urged the expansion of geographical coverage of distribution and a more even distribution of printing equipment between the printing offices of the large coastal cities and those of the remote cities of the interior. Besides having pointed out to them the importance of following the party line, the papers were urged not to allow advertisements to occupy too much space.

## MANY KUANG-CHOU NEWS AGENCIES SUPPRESSED -- Hua-ch'iao Jih-pao, 5 Jan 50

Kuang-chou, 23 December 1949 -- In order to put a stop to the dissemination of false and distorted news reports and rumors intended to discredit the work of the Central People's government and to foster opposition to it, the Culture and Education Section of the Kuang-chou Military Control Commission has ordered the dissolution of the following 47 news agencies which have failed to comply with the current regulations regarding registrations:

Kuo-min, Tung-feng, Min-sheng, Lei-tien, Ta-kuang, Sui-feng, Wei-lu, Hsien-sheng, Chun-hsin, T'ien-hsia, Po-ai, Ke-hsin, Ya-chou, Chung-nan, Ai-ch'un, Ching-chi, Ching-wei, Chung-chang, Yung-sheng, Wen-hua, Chung-hsin, Kuang-hua, Ching-sheng, Tzu-wu, Chung-mei, Hsueh-sheng, Ch'iao-feng, Ch'ih-p'ing, Chung-hua, T'u-p'ien, San-min, Chien-kuo, Tung-hsin, Ta-ti, Hua-ch'iao, Chueh-wu, Min-sheng, Lien-sheng, Kwangtung, Hsin-ch'ao, Hai-t'ien, Ching-t'ien, Ku-yueh, Chung-sheng, Pai-yueh, Hsin-lien, Min-hsin.

## NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY OPENS CH'ENG-TU OFFICE -- Wen-hui Pao, 6 Jan 50

Ch'eng-tu, 4 January (MCNA) -- The New China News Agency opened an office in Ch'eng-tu on 1 January 1950.

A newspaper called the Ch'uan-hsi Jih-pao (West Szech'uan Daily), which will be the voice of the people of Szechwan, published its first issue on 1 January 1950, 3 days after the People's Liberation Army entered the city.

## PUBLISHING FIRMS IN HONG KONG -- Wen-hui Pao, 1 Jan 50

Hong Kong -- The Wen-hui Pao of 1 January 1950 carried the advertisements of the following commercial publishing firms having their head offices or branch offices in Hong Kong: New Democracy Publishing Agency (Hsin Min-chu Ch'u-pan-she); Southern Bookstore (Nan-fang Shu-tien); Innovation Bookstore (Pai-hsin Shu-tien); Fountain of Knowledge Bookstore (Chih-yuan Shu-chu); First Steps Bookstore (Ch'u-pu Shu-tien); Forward Bookstore (Ch'ien-chin Shu-chu); Students Bookstore (Hsueh-sheng Shu-tien); and Trio Bookstore (San-lien Shu-tien).

## COMMUNIST CHINESE YOUTH PUBLICATION -- Wen-hui Pao, 10 Jan 50

The appearance is announced of the 28th issue of Chung-kuo Ch'ing-nien (China's Youth), a publication of the headquarters of the China New Democracy Youth Corps. This publication is the organ by means of which the progressive young men of China unite the youth of their generation under Marxism-Leninism and educate them in these doctrines. This weekly was published continuously from 20 October 1923 until its suspension in 1927, a total of 156 issues. Its publication as a semimonthly was resumed at Yen-an, Shensi, in 1939 and continued until 1942, a total of 29 issues.

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On 20 December 1948, the Central Committee of the CCP, in order to establish and guide the China New Democracy Youth Corps, decided that the responsibility for this publication should be assumed by the CCP Central Committee for Youth Work. In the First Assembly of Representatives of the New Democracy Youth Corps, held in April 1949, it was decided that beginning with the 12th issue it should be published as a weekly. As such, its objectives are to guide the work of Youth Corps throughout the country, and to systematize and encourage the study of Communist ideology on the part of young men of middle-class culture, including the better educated young men in industry, leaders among the peasants, middle school students, primary school teachers and office employees. It deals with all phases of youths' interests and problems.

NEW FINANCIAL NEWSPAPER TO BE PUBLISHED IN HONG KONG -- Kung-chang Jih-pao,  
3 Jan 50

A new newspaper called Chin-Yung Jih-pao (Financial News) is to begin publication in Hong Kong on 5 January 1950. The contents of this newspaper will consist mostly of news items and information concerning the financial and commercial conditions in Hong Kong and abroad.

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